

D.) AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

None.

E.) REMARKS

This Response is filed as a result of a telephone interview between Examiner Newton Edwards and Applicant's Representative on April 6, 2007. As an initial matter, Applicant thanks the Examiner for the telephone interview on that date, and the indication that upon the entry of the amendments as presented in this Amendment, the pending claims would be in condition for allowance. This Response is filed in further response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2006.

Upon entry of this response, claims 1 and 4-17 will be pending in the Application.

Claim 1 has been amended to more clearly distinguish the alignment angle over the prior art, and to further include the limitations of dependent claim 2. Claim 8 has been amended to include limitations from amended claim 1. Claim 14 has been amended to also include limitations from amended claim 1.

No new matter has been entered.

The Response of December 26, 2006 is herein incorporated by reference.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Application and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections. As a result of the remarks and amendments presented herein, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1 and 4-13 are in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that prosecution of this Application could be expedited by a telephone conference, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the Applicant.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1059.

Respectfully submitted,
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